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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, applicant wishes to call the attention of the Examiner to the following references:

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Attached please find form PTO-SB08. No copies of these references have been submitted herein in accordance with the Official Gazette Notice of August 5, 2003 (which waived the requirement under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(i) for submitting a copy of each cited U.S. patent and

U. S. patent application publication for all U.S. national patent applications filed after June 30, 2003). However, the applicants stand ready to supply copies of these references if needed.

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These citations do not constitute an admission that the references are relevant or material to the claims.

The fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17 (p) has been submitted herewith.

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